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That our American roots abound in plants which possess the most valuable medicinal virtues is abundantly attested by scores of the most eminent medical writers and teachers. Even the untutored Indians had discovered the usefulness of many native plants before the advent of the white race. This information, imparted freely to the whites, led the latter to continue investigations until to-day we have a rich assortment of most valuable American medicinal roots.

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MILLIONAIRE MISER.

Pleading for mercy, James S. Sterrett, millionaire, stood before Justice Scheer in Erie, Pa., one afternoon last week and told much of his personal history, but not until he was threatened with jail.

Sterrett, whose age is 86, had been arrested by an officer of the health department for failure to have water connections in his living quarters. His habitation had become so unsanitary that the authorities were compelled to act. When arraigned and asked if it was a fact that he had not had water turned on in his rooms during the past 12 years he replied: "I am a very old man. I cannot afford to spend recklessly what I have worked years to get. I have to live economically and cannot afford to pay water rent."

"Mr. Sterrett," asked the judge, "how much are you worth. What do you value your possessions at?"
Buttoning his threadbare coat to the neck, the old gentleman cleared his throat and replied: "I don't exactly know; I had 30 houses and lots in this city, but I gave them all away. I own about 40 houses now, and 6 brick farms. There are 10,000 acres in my farm in the State of Minnesota, and I own a block in Chicago that I would not sell for \$100,000. I don't think I am worth more than \$2,000,000, and if I should lose that I would have to go to the poor-house."

"Where do you get your water?"
"I can't afford to buy it," whimpered the old man. "I go over to fountains in the park and get a bucket or two at a time. I take that over to my room and use it to drink and wash with. It answers the purpose and does not cost me anything."

"Where do you eat?" inquired the judge.
Sterrett hesitated for a moment, but after wiping his eyes replied: "I did take my meals at the Arcade, but I can't afford to eat there now. I lost some money lately, so now I eat at the Three-cent Luncheon. I can get a good meal there for nine cents, and as I only have to eat twice a day, all it costs me is 18 cents for my meals."

Asked about what he generally eats, the prisoner gave the following bill of fare: Coffee, 3 cents; bread, 3 cents, and on rare occasions a 5-cent steak. He never pays over 12 cents for a meal, and generally gets one for from 6 to 9 cents. Among other statements he said that he purchased his clothes at a local second-hand store, and that during the past 15 years he has not paid out more than \$75 for clothes all told.

The old man was fined \$25 and costs—\$27 in all. He pleaded pitifully for mercy. The justice was inexorable, however, and he finally paid the assessment.

Sterrett's only recreation, so far as has been observed, is in attending funerals and being present in trials in the criminal court when racy testimony is offered.

AUTOMOBILE DISASTERS.

An automobile containing a party of five persons from Bristol, Ct., collided with the New York-Pittsfield express at Ashley Falls crossing, near Great Barrington, Mass., yesterday. Three of the motoring party were killed and the other two probably fatally injured. The express train was going nearly 60 miles an hour, and the automobile was also running at a rapid rate. The accident occurred on a crossing which is almost at right angles. The driver is dead, and it is claimed he did not hear the car until the crossing was reached. People on the car say that the machine had been racing the express for about half a mile. A part of the automobile was carried 500 feet and the wreckage was terrible.

Dashed over a 20-foot embankment by a sudden swerve at a turn in the road between Pleasantville and Mays Landing, N. J., yesterday, a big automobile in which James H. Hook, of Lancaster, Pa., and his two sons were driving from Atlantic City to Townsend Inlet, turned turtle and threw the three into a gulley. The chauffeur, who was handling the wheel when the accident occurred, was pinned under the overturned car, which caught fire, and was only saved from death by the arrival of a farmer, who pried the heavy machine from the injured man's body in time to save him from being roasted.

A cigarette butt, carelessly tossed into the body of an automobile standing at the foot of Virginia avenue, Atlantic City, last night ignited a leaking gasoline tank and caused flames to shoot high in the air, subsequently destroying the machine. A chauffeur for a New York automobilist saved an explosion by shutting off the flow of gasoline, and suffered severe burns of the hands and arms in consequence.

By reason of an automobile skidding

Neighbors Got Fooled.
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and running into a telegraph pole about three miles north of Cape May, N. J., yesterday, one of the occupants, Prof. Howard T. Marsteller, principal of Pleasantville, (N. J.) schools, was probably fatally injured. Four other persons in the machine escaped injury.

AERONAUT KILLED.

Theodore French, an aeronaut, was instantly killed Saturday afternoon in West Haven Conn., after he had made an ascent in a balloon in the presence of thousands of spectators. French went up in the balloon with a sheet-in cannon large enough to admit his body. At a signal from the amusement park, French was to cut away the cannon from the balloon and descend in it while it was suspended from a parachute. In the descent he was to discharge a revolver and drop from the cannon in a second parachute. When the balloon soared to a height of several hundred feet French cut the cannon away with himself in it. It swung clumsily for a moment and he appeared to have trouble in managing the contrivance. No discharge of the revolver was noticed and the descending parachute, with dangling cannon, swept inland, dropping lazily. Suddenly anxious watchers saw French drop straight as a plummet, clinging to a parachute that he dragged after himself out of the cannon. But the parachute failed to open. French fell on the roof of a low building and fractured his skull. The cannon fell a few feet from where he was picked up.

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Surplus and Net Profits . . . 173,839.38
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White Goods.
25c Goods reduced to 18c
15c Goods reduced to 12c
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Long Silk Gloves reduced from \$1.25 to 75c
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Job lot of exceptionally good quality, worth \$1.25, at 80c
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